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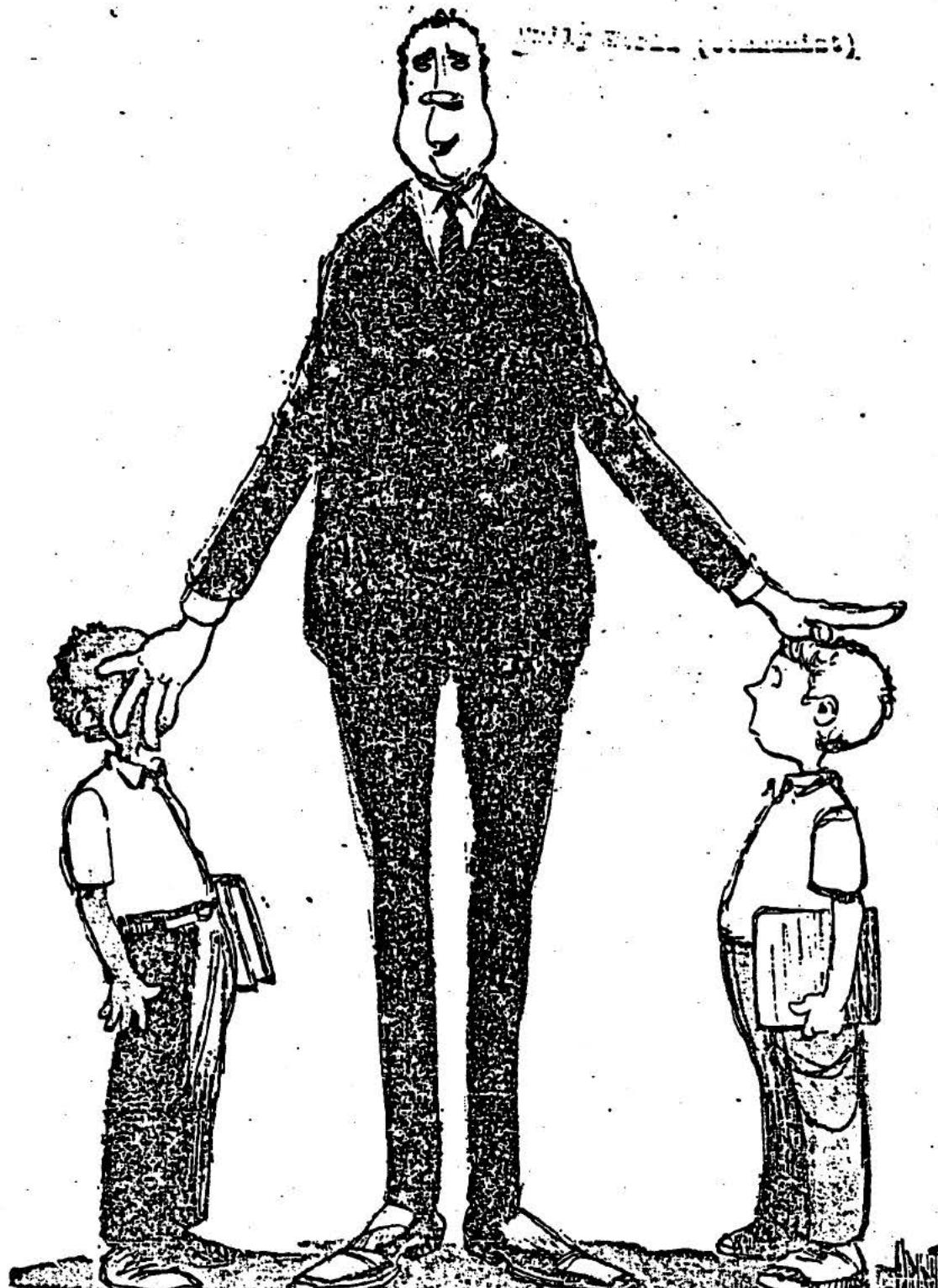
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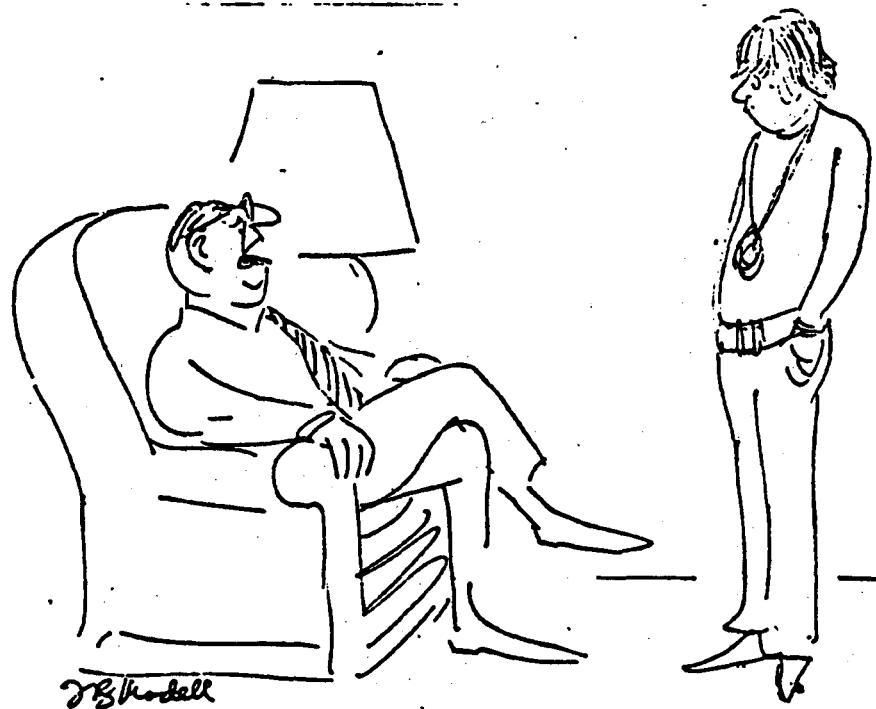


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"Look, dear, I've tried to be less of a non-person and more of a mother. As if that weren't enough, now you want relevance."

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"It's about time you realized, Haslan, that in life we often have to do things that aren't our bag."

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CALENDAR OF TENTATIVELY SCHEDULED ACTIVITIES

Asterisked items are either reported for the first time or contain additions or changes to previously reported activities.

October 1969

Joliet, Illinois - reportedly the Sheriff's office in Joliet, Illinois, has received unconfirmed rumors that unknown black extremists will attempt to raid the U. S. Army Ammunition Plant prior to November 1st.

October 11

Chicago, Illinois - Street violence to date has increased friction between the Weatherman and RYM II factions of SDS. Although the size of the protests and rallies to date have been much less than predicted and projected by the activists, Saturday's action may well be by far the largest and most violent of the week. Planning all along has centered on Saturday as the climax.

Weatherman plans a march from Haymarket Square to Grant Park through the loop.

RYM II plans its own march through the north side of the city which has sizable populations of blacks and Puerto Ricans. RYM II expects the support of the Young Lords (Puerto Rican street gang) and the Black Panther Party, and that contrary to the Weatherman activities will be "a mass, disciplined march" under the slogan "U. S. get out of Vietnam now— serve the people."

October 12

Fort Dix (Wrightstown, N. J.) - An anti-war coalition of some twenty organizations, claiming to have the largest backing of any anti-war demonstration since the 1967 Pentagon March, is planning a resistance demonstration against censorship and general repression of the GI Movement. Originally planned for 28 September, it was rescheduled for 12 October. Among those organizations

reportedly backing the demonstration are: The SDS, the Young Lords, the Quaker Action Group, SDS, Vietnam Recruits Concerned About the War in Vietnam, Liberation News Service, New York I, the Civil Liberties Fellowship, and the Fifth Avenue Peace Corps Committee. So far, permission for a march of any kind has been denied by the Wrightstown authorities.

A representative of the SDS in New York City reportedly made a deposit on thirty or so tickets for Ft. Dix on 13 October, and a representative of the International Students of New York University has stated they plan to use five of those thirty. Allegedly, SDS plans to use the name of the SDS to conceal its involvement. The Peace and Equal Rights Committee plans to participate, and an undetermined number of PEC members will travel from Red Bank, New Jersey, by private car. Approximately 6,000 to 10,000 persons from Philadelphia and Washington, D. C., are reportedly planning to participate. Buses will transport participants from Columbia University Campus (3), Rutgers University (2-3), and from Waverly Place, New York City (6). Instructions given to participants include recommendation to bring gas masks and helmets.

October 12

*Ft. Lewis, Washington - The Seattle-Portland grape boycott committees plan to demonstrate at Ft. Lewis against the Army's purchase of table grapes. An automobile caravan from Portland, Oregon, to Ft. Lewis is planned. After a picnic, participants will distribute leaflets at Ft. Lewis. Members of the GI Unions plan to participate in the demonstration.

October 13

*The National Lawyers Guild announced it is sponsoring a massive demonstration at San Francisco on October 13 to protest the Chicago trial.

October 13

California and West Coast - The NAACP has announced plans for demonstrations at the Federal buildings in Los Angeles, San Francisco, San Jose, and other major cities (NFI) on the West Coast. The demonstrations are to be in protest of the lack of jobs available in the construction industry for minority groups. No estimate of the number of participants is available.

October 14-16

*Rock Island, Illinois - An assorted group of students, faculty, and clergymen in the Rock Island (RI) quadrilateral region of Illinois are planning to stage demonstrations against the Rock Island arsenal (RIA). On 3 October, the faculty of Augustana College, RI, will vote on their participation in the 14-15 October anti-war demonstrations, which are to begin at 1000 hours, 15 October with a convocation. Several high schools are expected to have walk-outs in support of the demonstration. If not allowed to enter RIA, the demonstrators plan to block traffic at the entrance by staging a sit-down. The quad cities for Peace, one of the sponsoring groups, will send a letter to President Nixon asking him to stop the war in Vietnam. If their letter is not answered, QCP will demonstrate at the RIA once a month until it is answered. There has been no estimate of the numbers expected to participate.

October 15

Nationally - In view of the size and significance of the "Vietnam Moratorium" activity on this date, it will be covered separately as a Special Situation Information Report.

October 15-17

Washington, D. C. - Reportedly, the NAACP is tentatively planning to hold demonstrations October 15-17 for the purpose of showing support of civil rights activists claiming that there is discrimination within the Federal Government concerning employment practices, promotions, and equal opportunities for Negroes.

October 17-21

Philadelphia, Pennsylvania - The Women's Strike for Peace will hold its National Convention at the Robert Morris Hotel, 17th and Arch Streets.

October 18

San Francisco - At the recent National Conference for the United Front Against Fascism held in Oakland, California, 18-19 July, sponsored by the BPP, registration fees were collected for membership in the United Front Against Fascism; and it was announced that the United Front would hold a conference 18 October 1968 in the San Francisco area.

October 20

New York City - Veterans for Peace and the JVA plan to demonstrate at New York City when President Nixon visits there.

October 25

Chicago, Illinois - New Mobilization Committee sponsored actions in Chicago in support of the "Chicago Eight" and calling for an end to the war in Vietnam. A guerrilla theater march down State Street, a tribunal dealing with political repression, and a rock concert are planned. The march and rally are to focus on the war and alleged government repression of peace movement leaders.

November 3

National - The Chicago Eight is now trying to add a national strike of law students with a theme of "Stop the Trial" to its continuing array of protest and propaganda.

November 3

New York City and Nationally - On 7 October a group of black intellectuals and activists in New York City called for a city-wide work stoppage by black workers as a display of unity among the majority of Negroes—a "Black Solidarity Day." Although called for New York City, the sponsors said other blacks are working toward similar shows of unity in Detroit, Cleveland, Los Angeles and Chicago. One purpose of the demonstrations is to show black opposition to "the growing conservatism" among U. S. whites. "This test of Solidarity Day will call on the majority of blacks not involved (with black activism) to show this anger in a creatively disruptive act."

November 8

Boston, Mass. - A Boston anti-imperialist rally will hold a demonstration to support the NL and demand immediate withdrawal from Vietnam. It will be the conclusion of a week of anti-imperialist demonstrations against a variety of targets. It will bring together high school and college students and working people.

November 8-15

National - Planned to be a week of local activity around the war and U.S. Imperialism to build on-going local organizations and to help mobilize for November 15th in Washington and San Francisco. The goal is to plan activity appealing to wide variety of constituencies and political styles. Initiated by the Joe Hill Caucus of SDS at San Francisco State and endorsed by the RYM II national SDS faction. A prime aim is for campus protests. The NMC co-chairman, Sidney Pock has indicated that NMC hopes the actions take place.

November 9

Los Angeles, California - The Teachers' Council for Peace in Vietnam is sponsoring a mass march and rally on November 9th with the aim of initiating "dramatic peace events—carefully planned so as to broaden the peace movement's popular appeal." The projected march and demonstration has the support of the Peace Action Council, umbrella co-ordinating agency for virtually all the peace organizations in the area. A speaker for the Teachers' Council stated that "the peace rally will not be an anti-climax to the teachers' march. On the contrary, we are hoping for the largest anti-war rally ever held in Los Angeles."

November 13-16

District of Columbia - San Francisco - Proposed mass action—parades, etc. More details will be presented in future issues of the Situation Information Report.

SOURCE: Government and news media.

RELIABILITY: Probably true.